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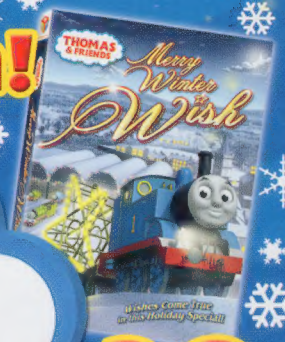

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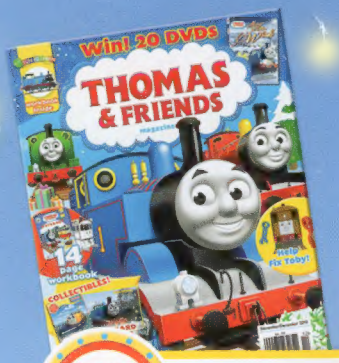

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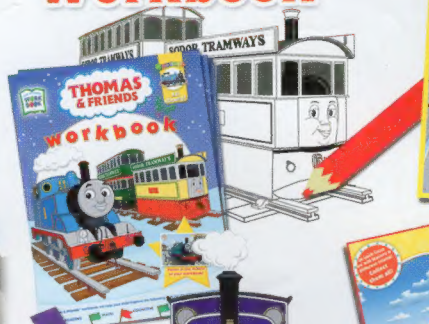

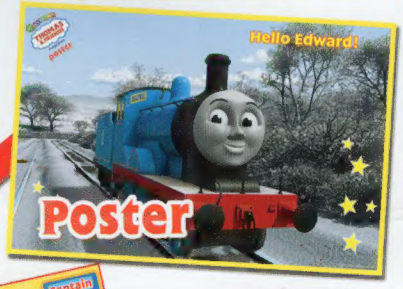

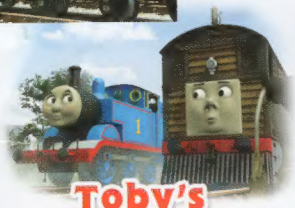

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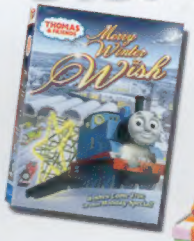

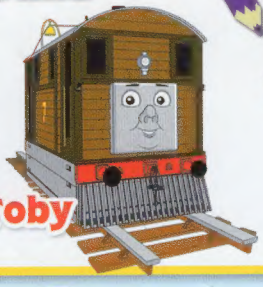

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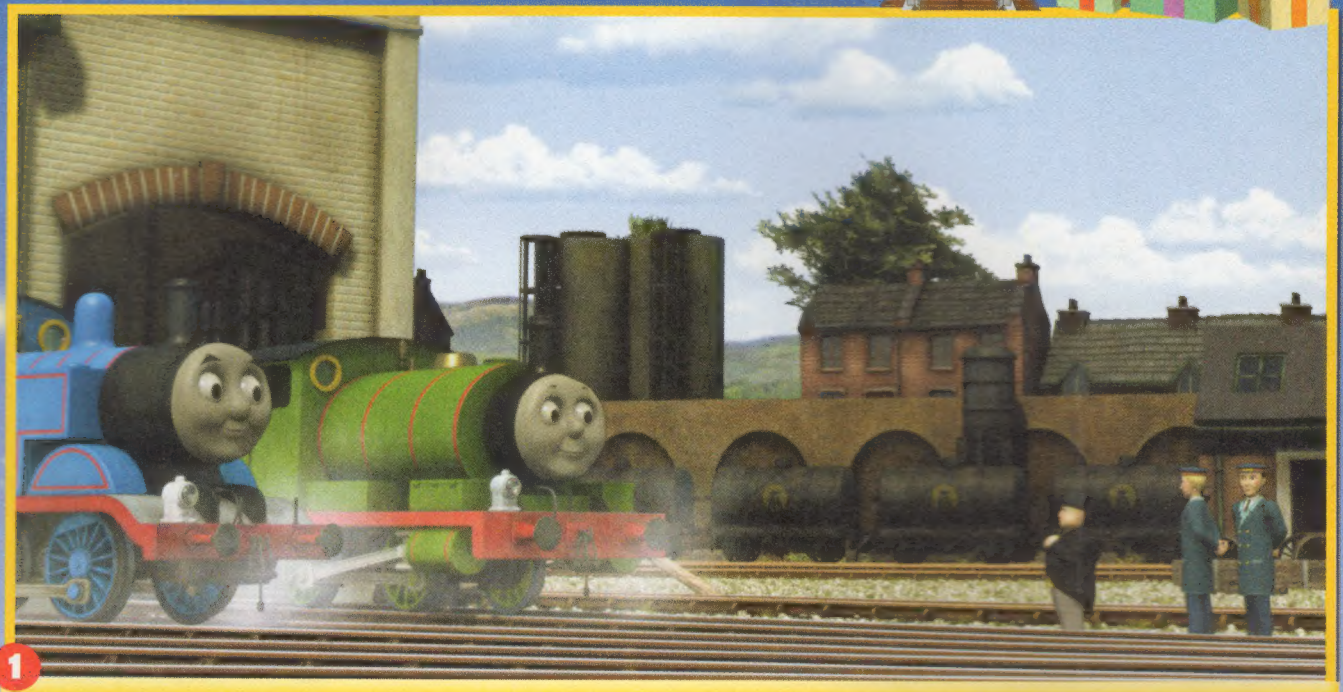
Percy's Gift

A Story from the Island of Sodor



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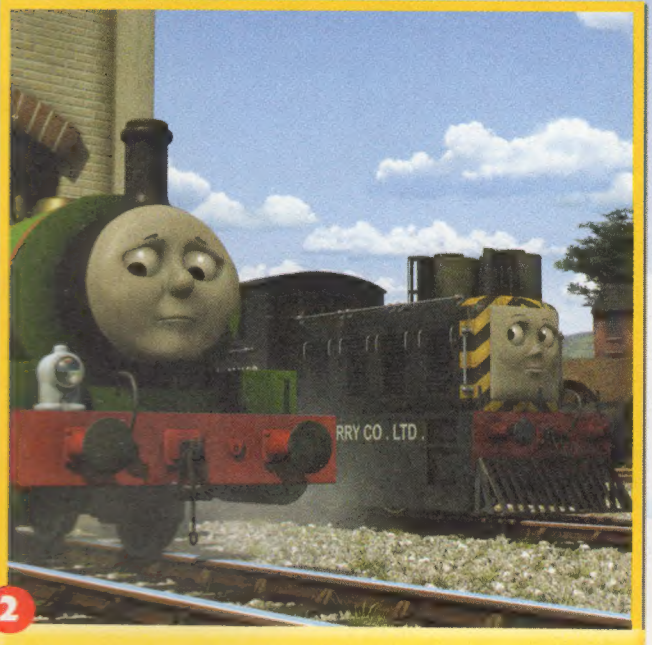
Sir Topham Hatt had an important job for Percy. "An artist has sent a special package to Brendam Docks," he explained. "Percy, you must collect it and bring it to Knapford so Lady Hatt can see it before it goes to the museum."



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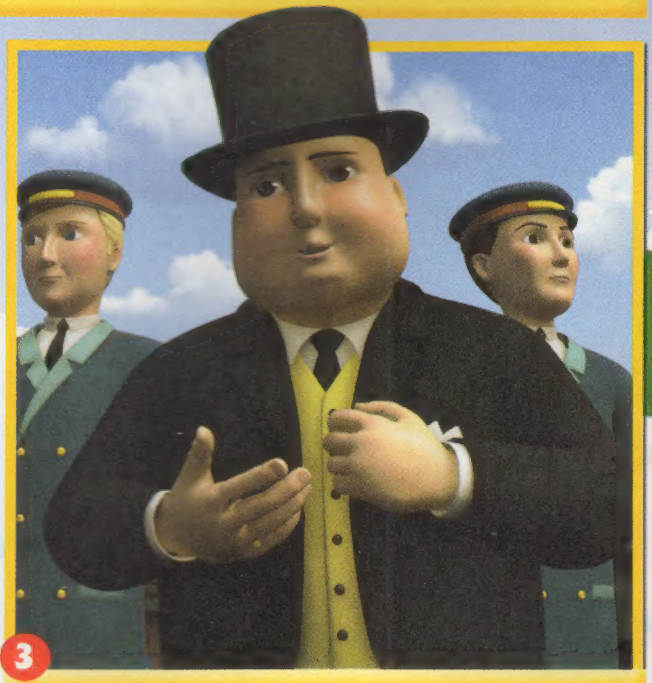
Percy was excited, but it was a long journey for him. "I hope I don't run into trouble," sighed Percy.



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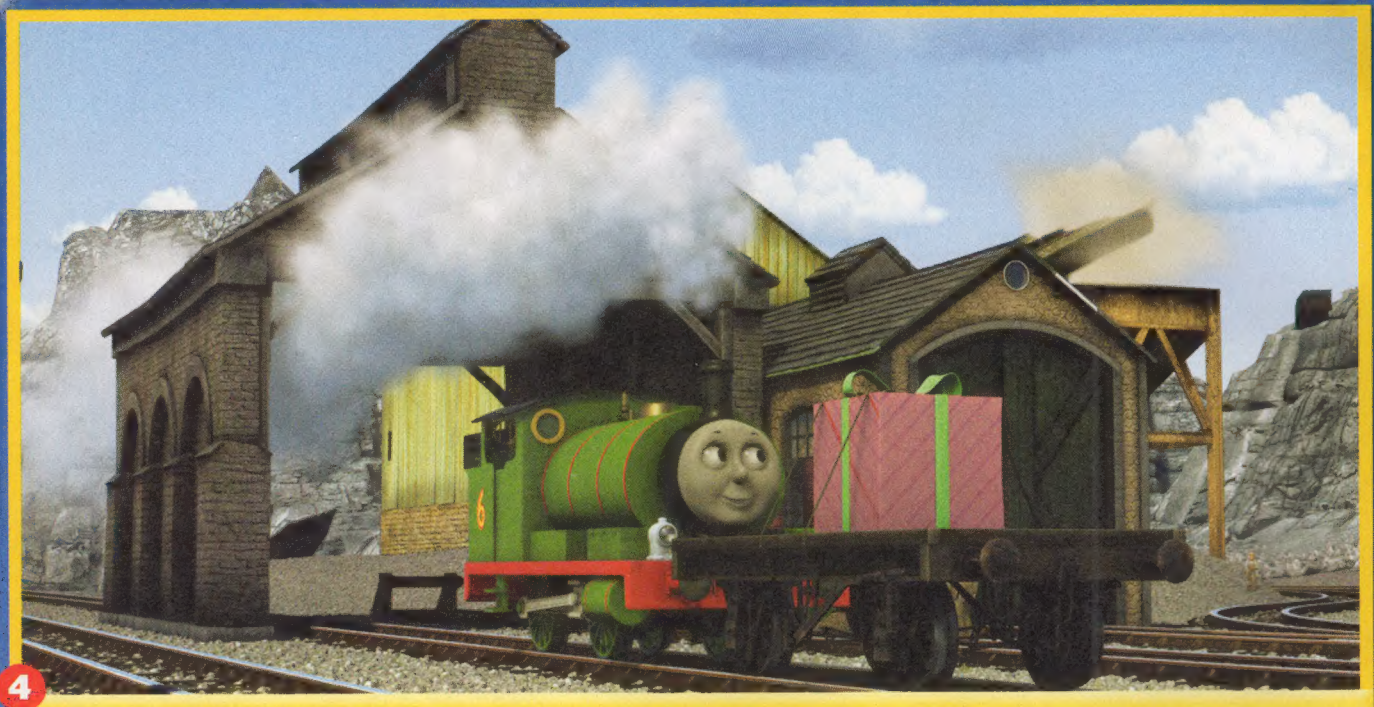
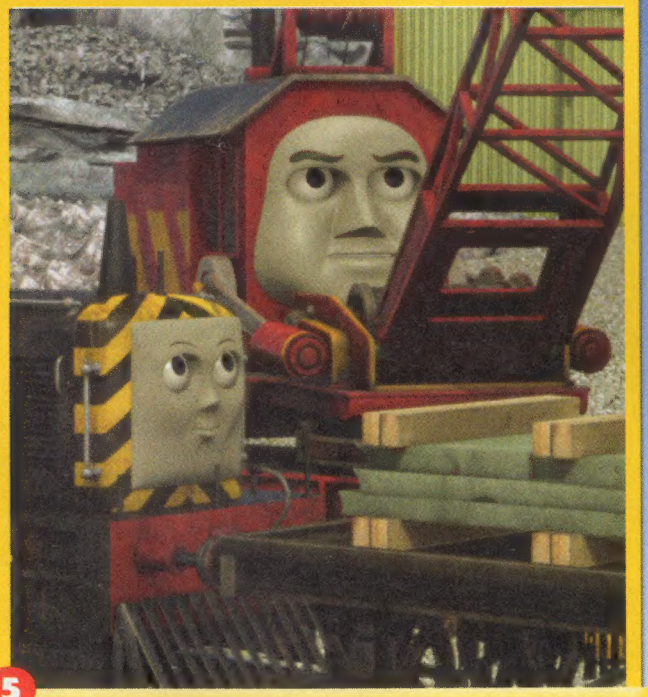
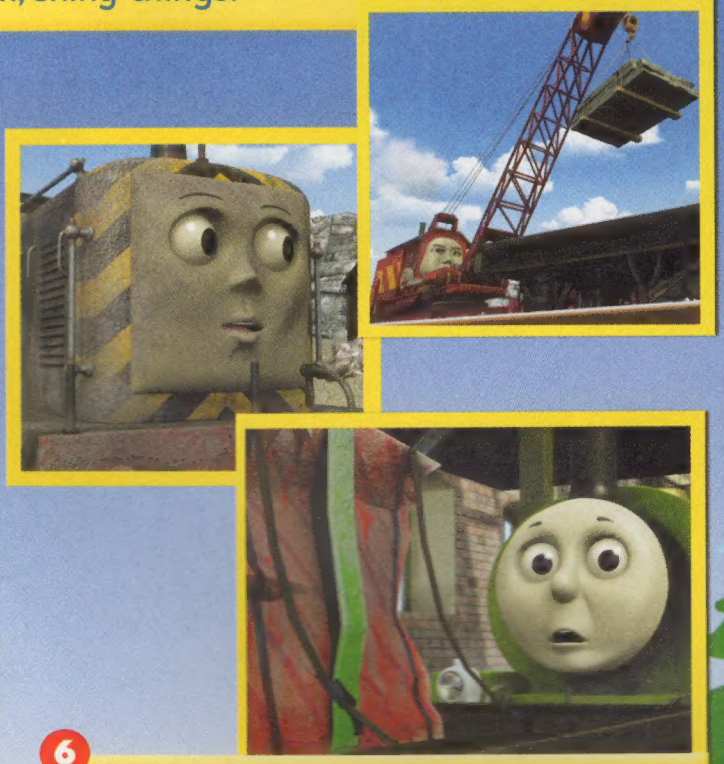
"Remember, Percy, the package must arrive without harm!" warned Sir Topham Hatt. Percy set off.



4 Percy smiled when he saw the delivery. It was the prettiest box he had ever seen. It was red and green and had a huge bow! "I want to show it to Mavis," he tooted. "She loves beautiful, shiny things."



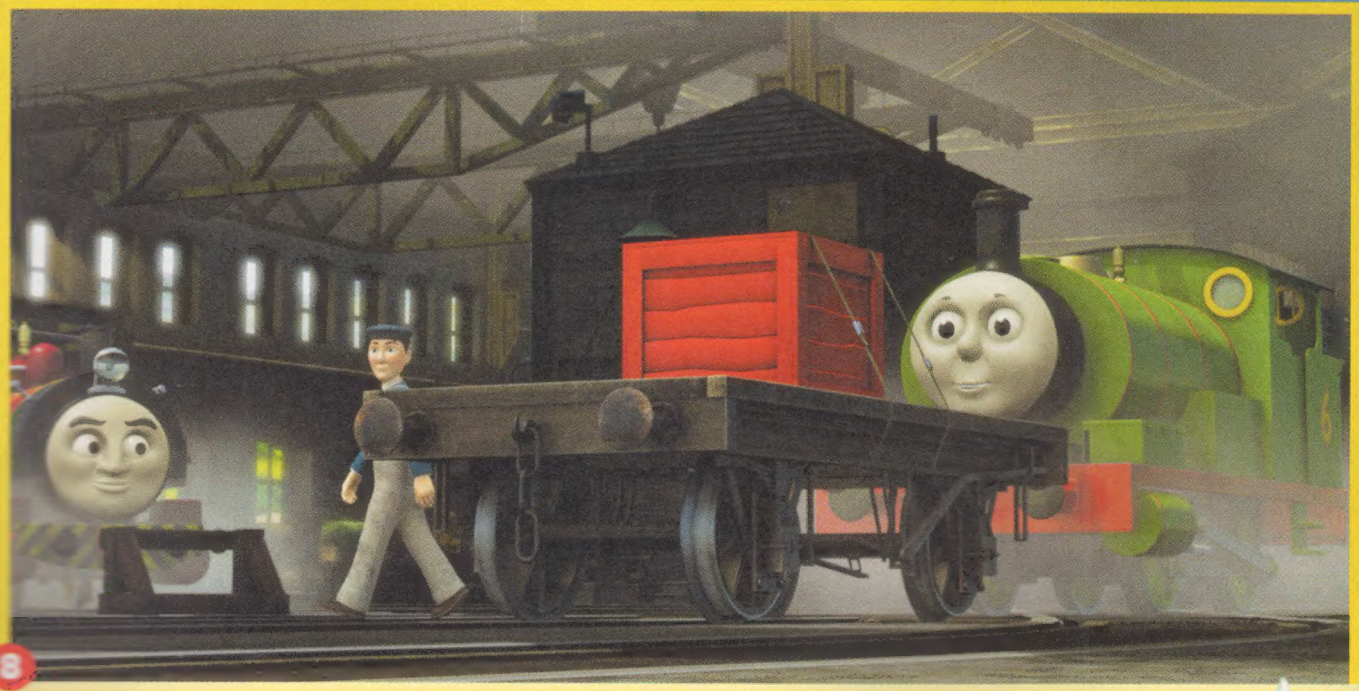
5 "It's lovely!" gasped Mavis. Just then, there was trouble. Rocky's load crashed onto the box!



6 The beautiful package was ruined! "Oh, no!" puffed Percy. "Sir Topham Hatt will be very upset."

7

"What should I do?" thought Percy as he chugged away to hide. Then he saw Mavis pulling a load of empty crates. "I know!" he tooted. "I will decorate a new crate to put the special delivery in. It will look just as festive as the box."



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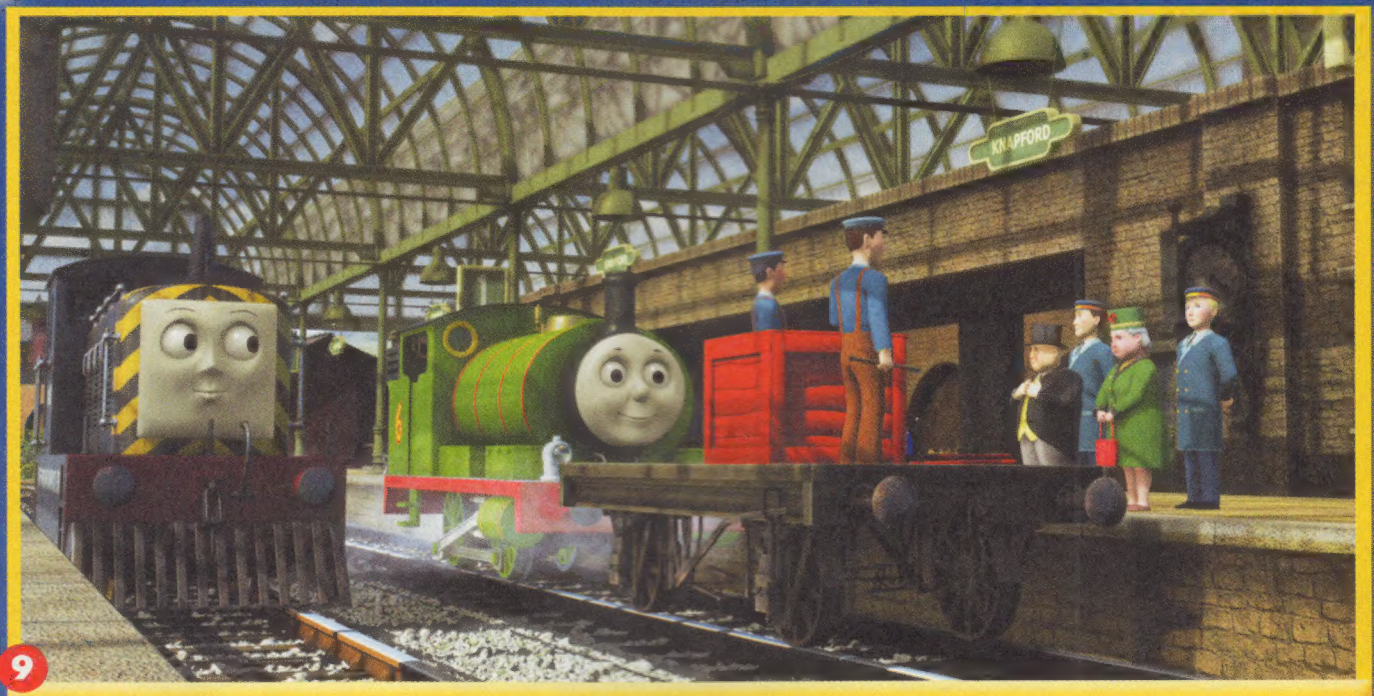
Victor told Percy to ask James for some red paint. "Great idea!" said Percy. He did that and a worker helped paint the crate. "Now I have a beautiful new package to deliver for Sir Topham Hatt."



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Percy rolled into the station with the painted crate. "What a lovely package," beamed Lady Hatt. "I can't wait to see what's inside!" Percy was glad he had fixed his mistake and he was relieved to see a smile on Sir Topham Hatt's face!

10

The engines were excited when the crate was finally opened. It was a wonderful painting of Lady Hatt for the museum! "Now we know why Sir Topham Hatt wanted us to be so careful!" peeped Percy.

Quiz Time!

See how much you can remember from the story you just read by answering the questions below.

Sir Topham Hatt asked Percy to deliver the package to which station? Circle the correct station name.

Tidmouth **Maithwaite**

Knapford **Suddery**

Who was the package for? Circle the correct name.

Mr. Percival **Alicia Botti**

Lady Hatt

What color did Percy paint the new crate? Trace over the correct color.

orange **green** **red**

Draw a new present for Percy to collect. What's inside?

How many presents?

Write the number here.

Let's go!
Help Thomas deliver some presents.
With your finger or a pencil, trace a path
through the snowy maze.
Say hi
to
Percy!

What color means STOP?

Write in the letters.

How many snowmen are there?

Write the number in the box.

Fill in the star with the color that means GO.

How many signals are there?

Write the number in the box.

What shape is Thomas' face?

Color in the correct shape.

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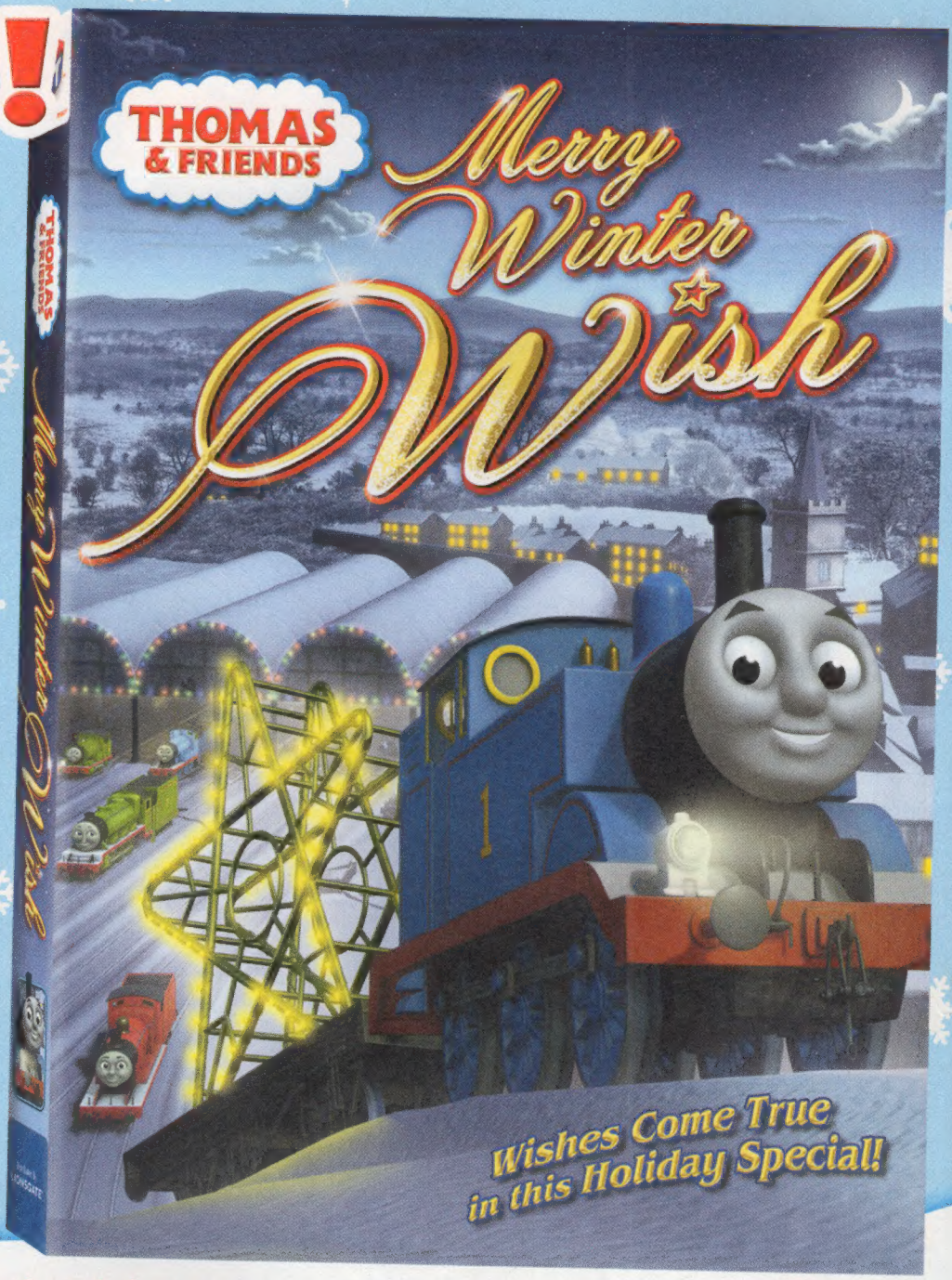

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workbook

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READING MATH COGNITIVE SOCIAL

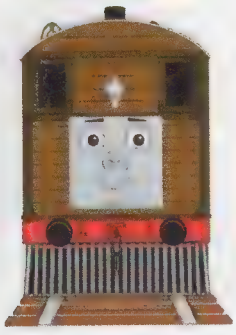
Circle the hidden wreaths in your workbook.

LETTERS

Toby begins with **T**. Flora begins with **F**.
Trace over these letters and words.

T T t t

Toby



tree

Thomas

track

a b c d e f g h i j k l m n

Parent Note

This activity encourages practice of letter formation and spelling.

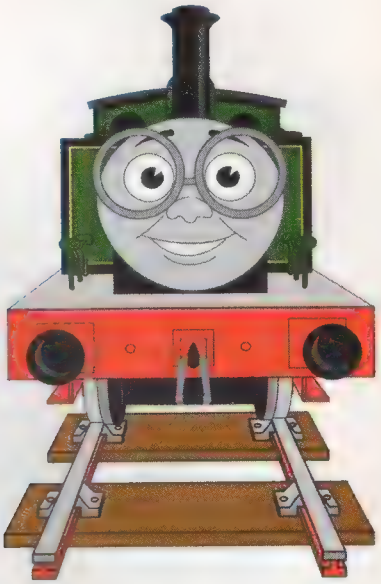
F F f f

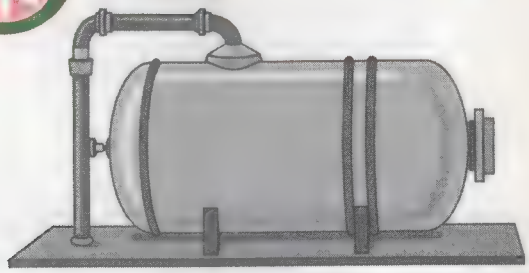
Look!
Whiff ends
with 2 fs!

Whiff

festive

fuel





Flora

o p q r s t u v w x y z

COUNT

Count these things and write the numbers in the boxes.

stations

snow friends

decorations

bells

1 2 3 4 5 6

Count the big snowflakes above.

Write the number in the box.

Ready for the holidays! Count the things in the picture above and write the numbers in the boxes below.

presents

silver bows

gold decorations

7 8 9 10

Parent Note

Counting helps develop math skills and number recognition.

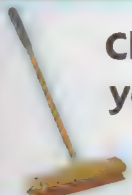
LOOK

Color a star next to each small picture on the right as you find its match in the big picture below.

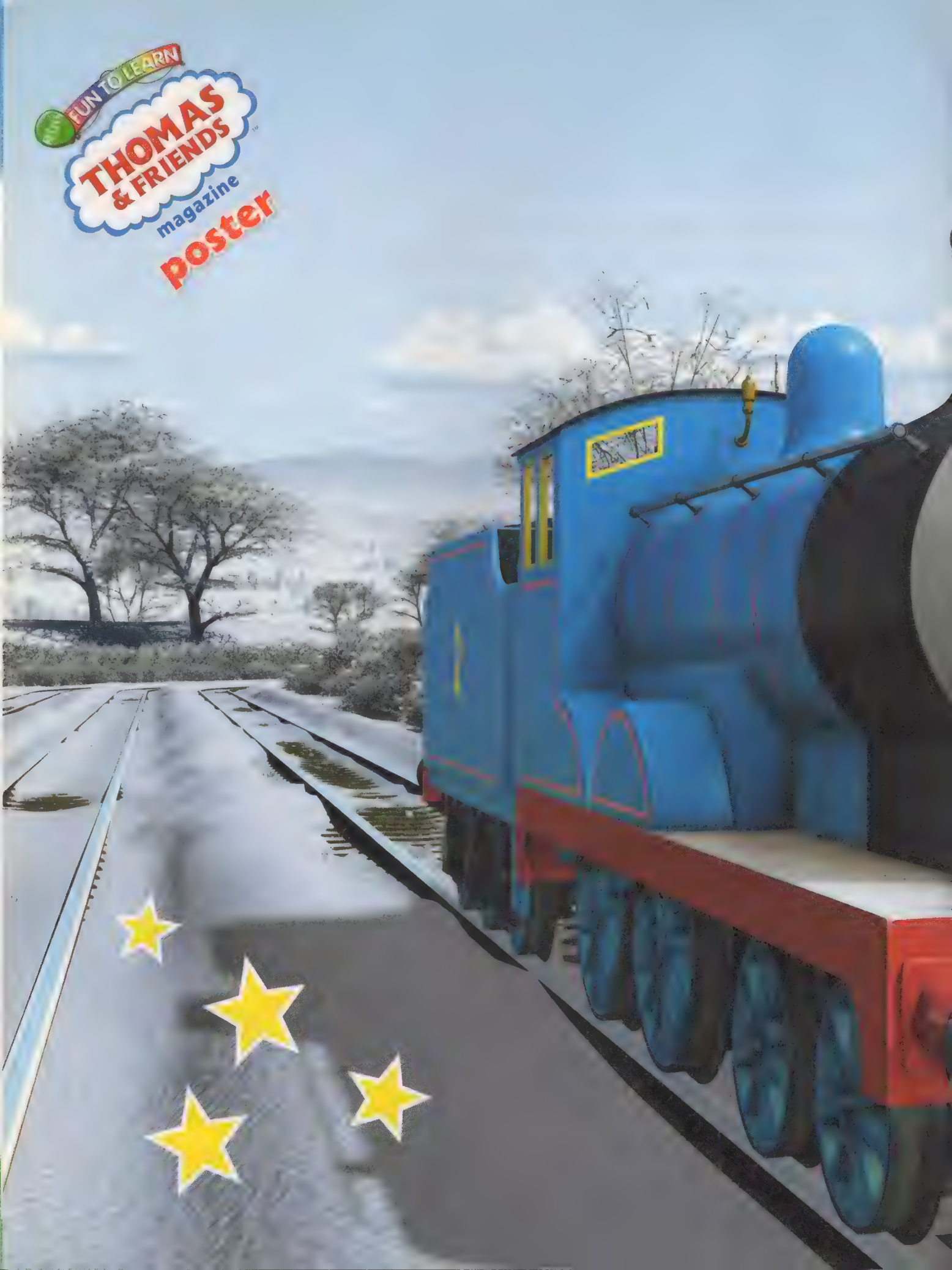
Circle the two presents that are exactly alike.

Parent Note
Looking carefully at pictures helps to enhance cognitive skills and observation.

Count the green lamps in the picture.
Write the number in the box.



Check the box when you find this broom in the picture.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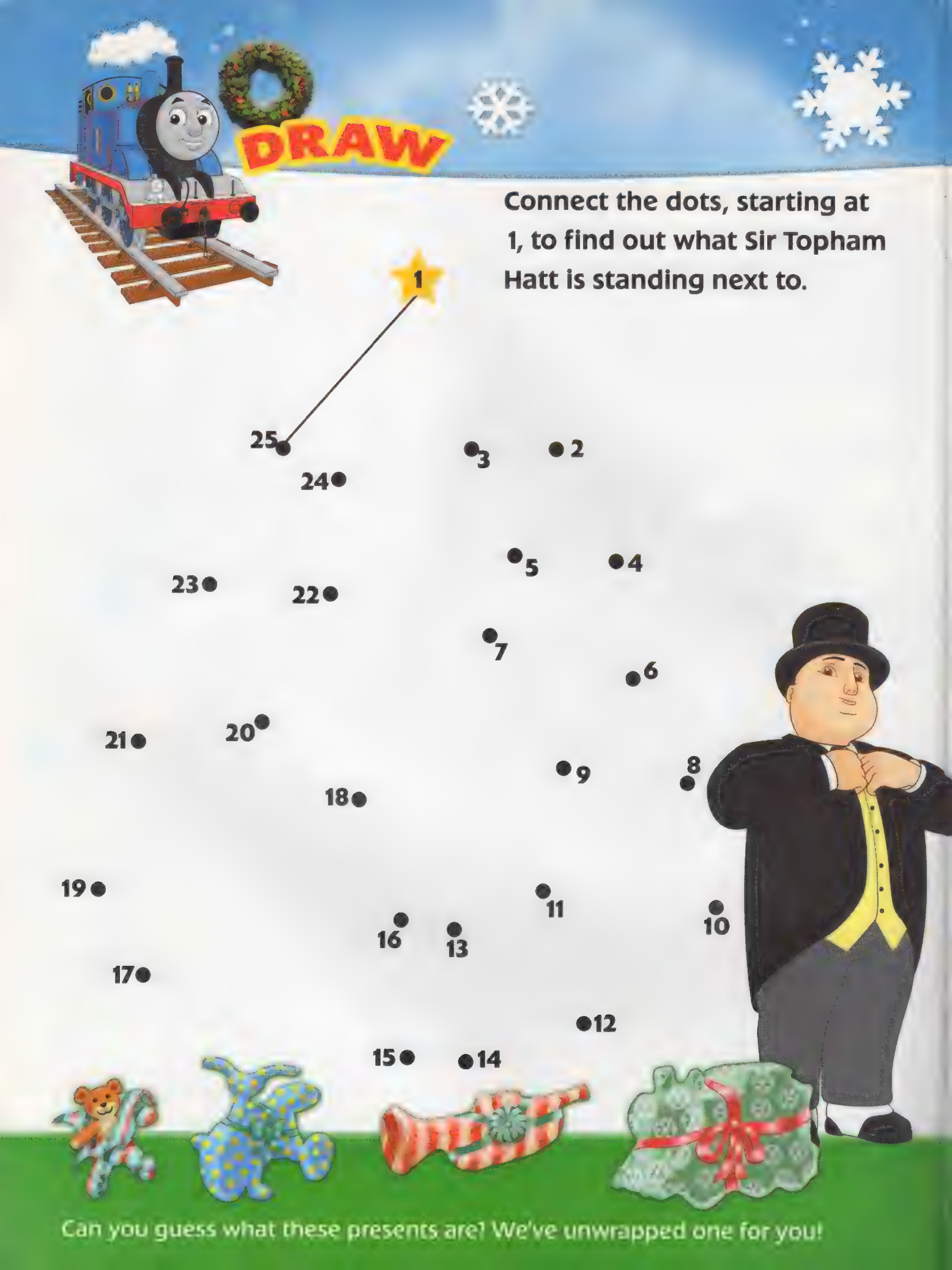
Hello Edward!

DRAW

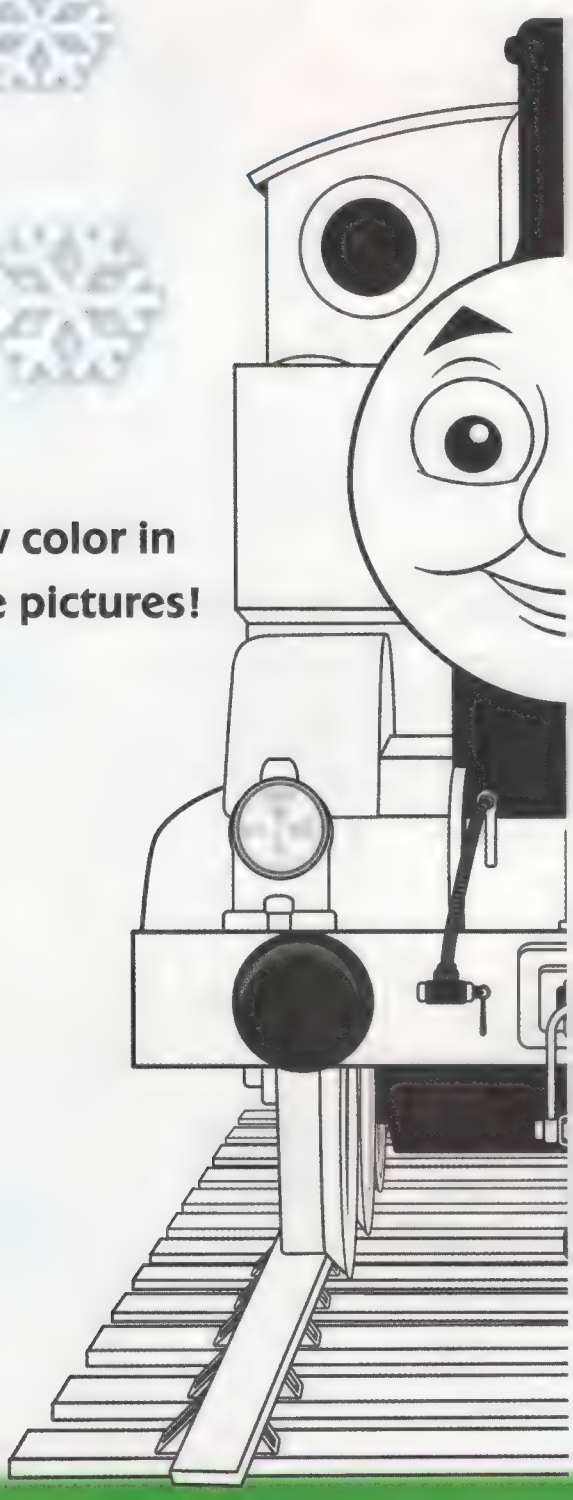
Connect the dots, starting at 1, to find out what Sir Topham Hatt is standing next to.



Can you guess what these presents are? We've unwrapped one for you!

Parent Note
Drawing and tracing stengthens visual awareness, dexterity, and [illegible]

Complete the picture of Thomas by tracing over the gray lines.



Now color in these pictures!

How many of these below?

Write the numbers here.

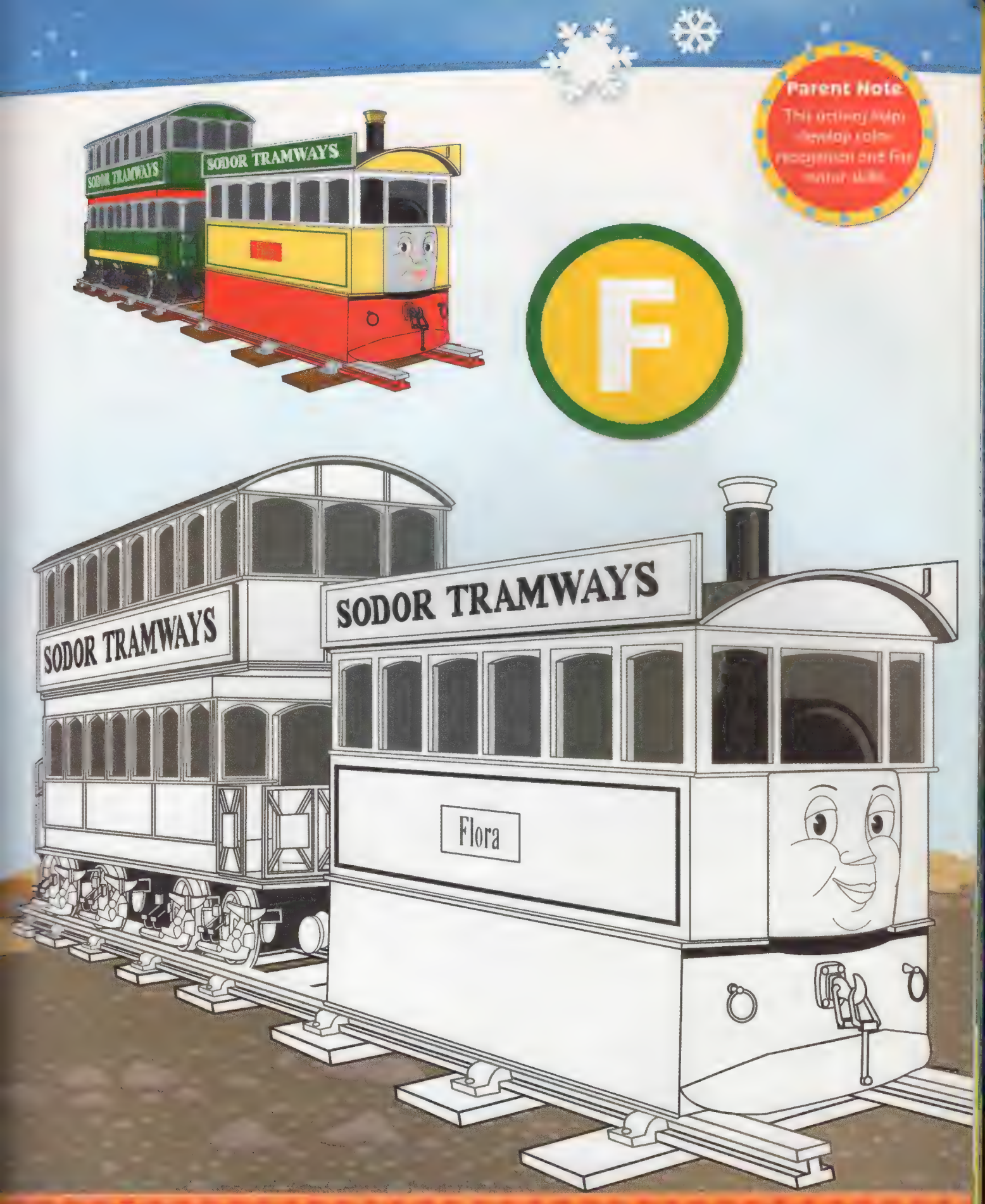
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

COLOR

Color Charlie and Flora,
using the small pictures to help you!

C

Charlie



F

Flora is a tram.

OPPOSITES

Look at the picture below and trace over the correct answers.

It is

day

night

The ship's mast is

tall

short

Harold is below above James.

The engines are inside outside the shed.

Cranky's arm is down up

SIZES

Look at these groups and circle the correct objects.

Parent Note

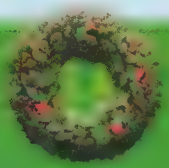
This activity helps develop recognition of opposites and size relation.

Circle the SMALLEST hammer.

Circle the 2 presents which are the SAME SIZE.

Circle the LONGEST horn.

Circle the BIGGEST engine.



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workbook

How many wreaths did you find?

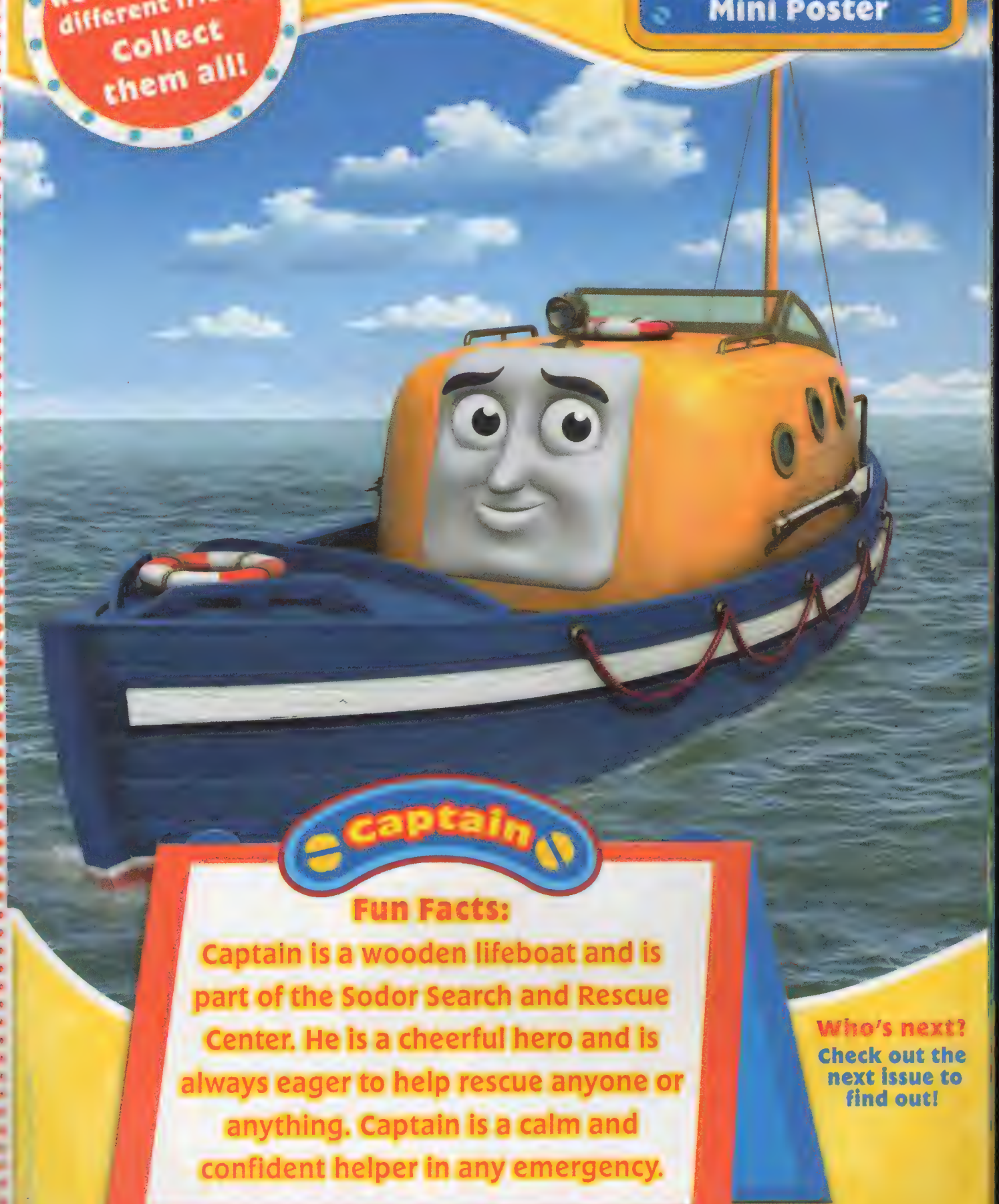
Write the number here.

Great work!

Write your name on the dotted line.

In each issue we will feature a different friend. Collect them all!

Captain
Mini Poster



Captain

Fun Facts:

Captain is a wooden lifeboat and is part of the Sodor Search and Rescue Center. He is a cheerful hero and is always eager to help rescue anyone or anything. Captain is a calm and confident helper in any emergency.

Who's next?
Check out the next issue to find out!

Look out for the next poster in our January/February 2011 issue!

Toby's New

Check out Toby's new sound!

Toby was sad. His little bell was broken. "Don't worry," said Victor. "You can borrow a Three Chime Steam Whistle while your bell is being fixed. But be careful, it's a very loud whistle!"

Toby was worried. "I've never used a steam whistle before!" he thought as he chugged to Knapford to collect Lady Hatt. "I hope I don't have to use it today," he sighed.

Toby soon found trouble. Cows were blocking the tracks. Toby was afraid to blow the whistle. "Go away, cows!" he peeped. But he wasn't loud enough. The cows didn't move. "I will just have to wait," he puffed sadly.

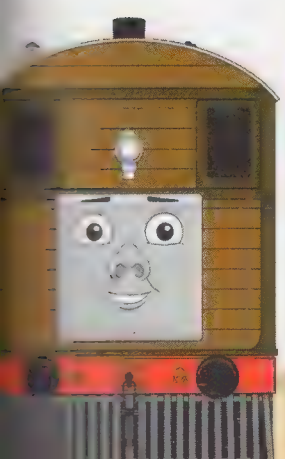
Suddenly Thomas came speeding down the track. "Oh no! He doesn't see the cows!" gasped Toby. "Now I will have to use the whistle!"

Whistle

Toby was scared, but brave. He closed his eyes and puffed with all of his might. "**Wheee! Wheee! Wheee!**" blasted the whistle. Thomas screeched to a stop. "Cinders and ashes!" he peeped. "That's the loudest whistle I have ever heard." Thomas was surprised it was Toby who sounded it.

"Well done, Toby!" boomed Sir Topham Hatt later that day. "So, will you keep the Three Chimed Steam Whistle?"

"I know I can be brave and useful no matter how loudly I peep, so I think I'll keep my favorite bell!"



Trace over the letters, starting at the dots.

Toby!

Let's Help Toby!

Here is a workman to help you fix Toby! Stick this page on to thin cardboard. Then cut out the workman and fold back the stand.

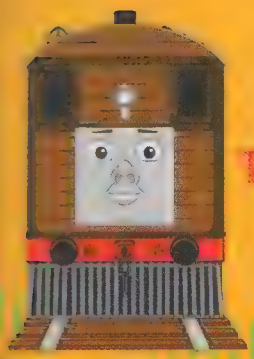
Toby's sideplates need to be replaced. Grip them hard and pull!

pull

Toby's wheels are wobbling. Tighten his wheel nuts.

twist

FOLD



Toby is not feeling too well!
Cut out the workman so he can help you fix Toby.
Then trace over the letters for each repair he needs.
After you trace each word, make the move!

Loose stones on the track have dented Toby's cowcatchers. Tap them back into shape.

tap

Toby's lamp is broken. Unscrew the lamp and put in a bright new bulb.

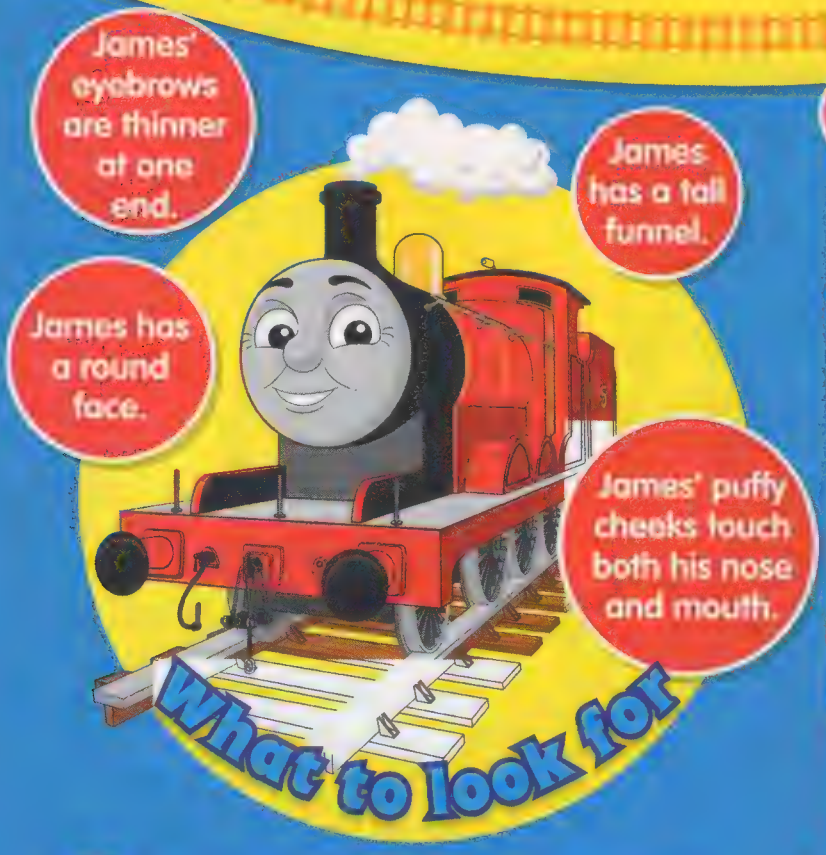
turn

One of Toby's wooden panels has splintered. Cut off the splinters and fix him up.

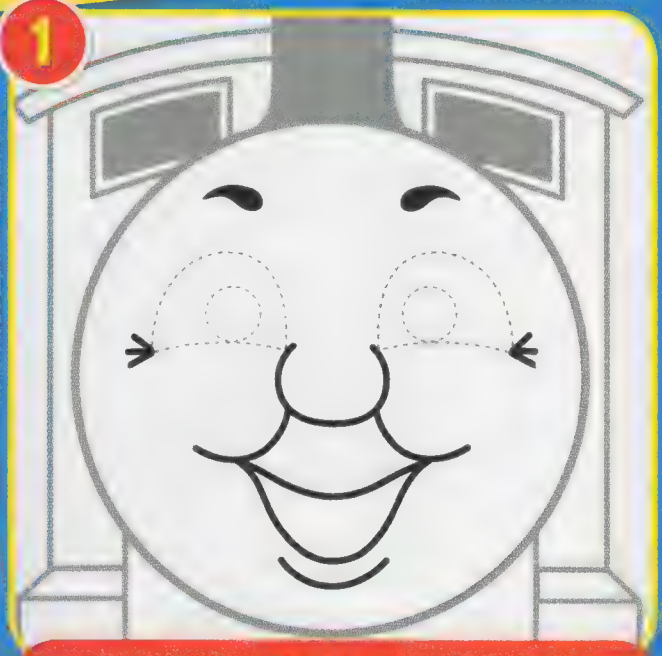
snip

Draw James

Follow these easy steps to learn to draw James.


James' eyebrows are thinner at one end.
James has a tall funnel.
James has a round face.
James' puffy cheeks touch both his nose and mouth.
What to look for

1



Start by drawing two arch shapes for James' eyes and two small circles inside for his pupils.

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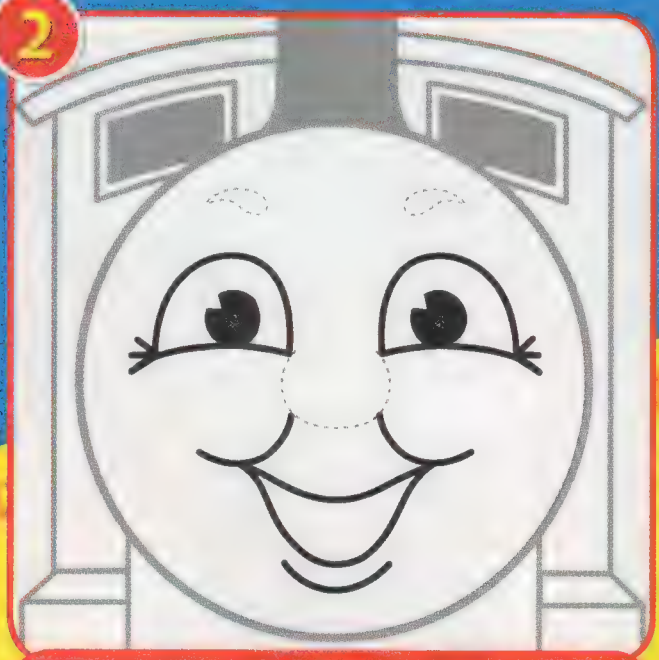

Draw a big sideways C for his nose then two thick rounded lines for his eyebrows.

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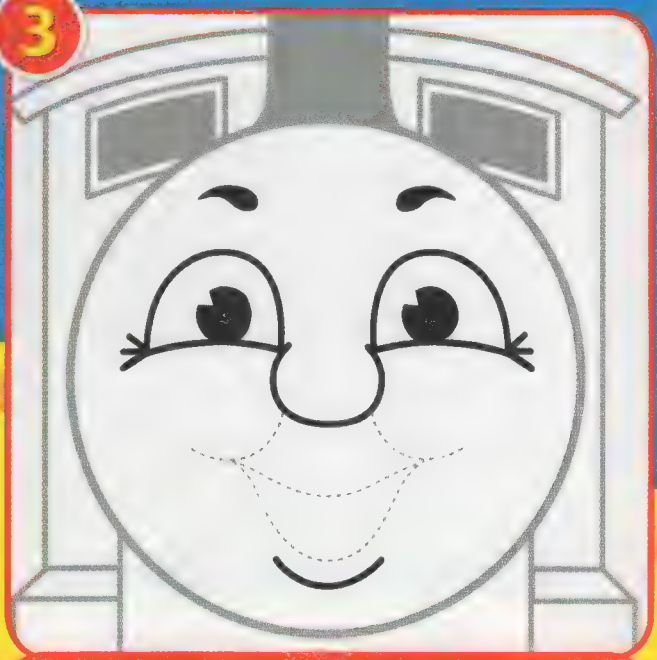
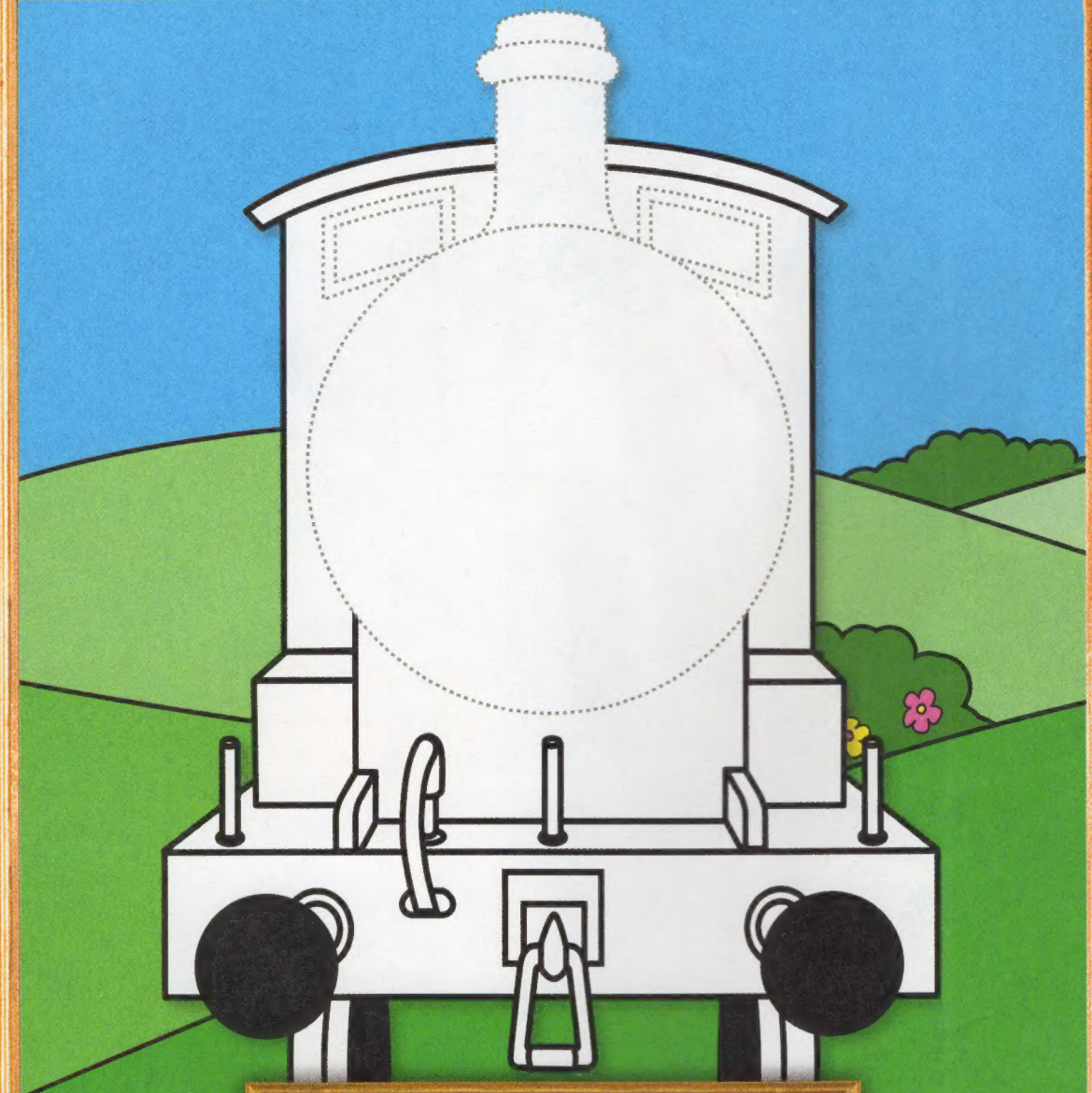


Draw a curvy open smile for his mouth. Finally, draw two big curves above his mouth for his puffy cheeks.



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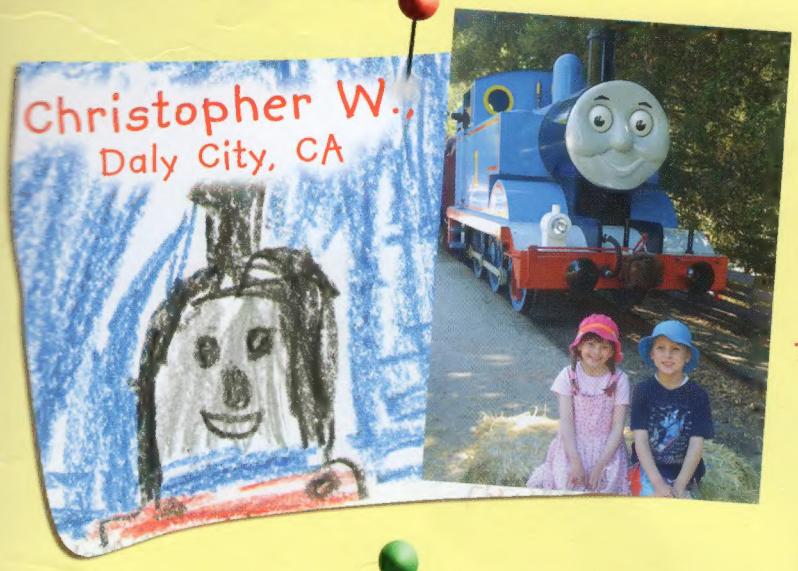

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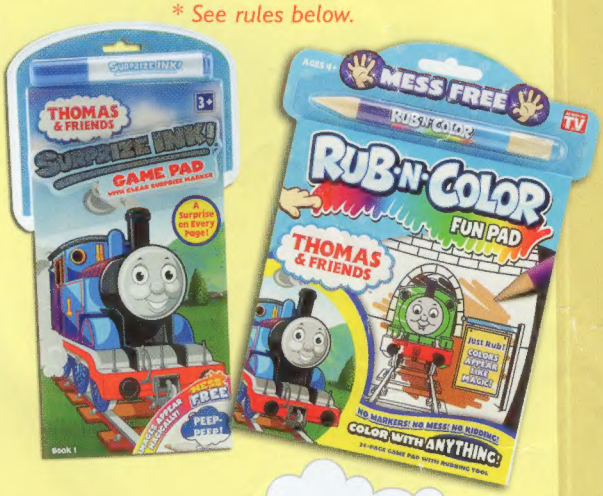

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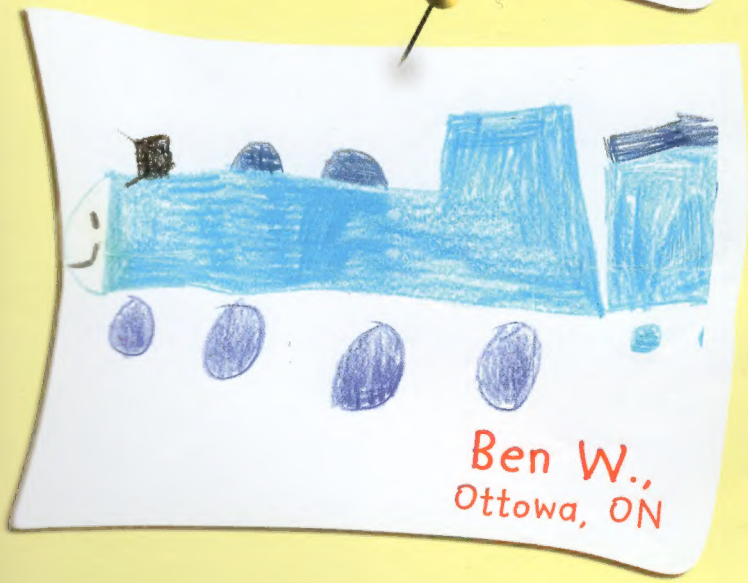

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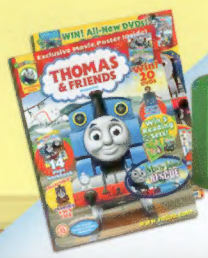

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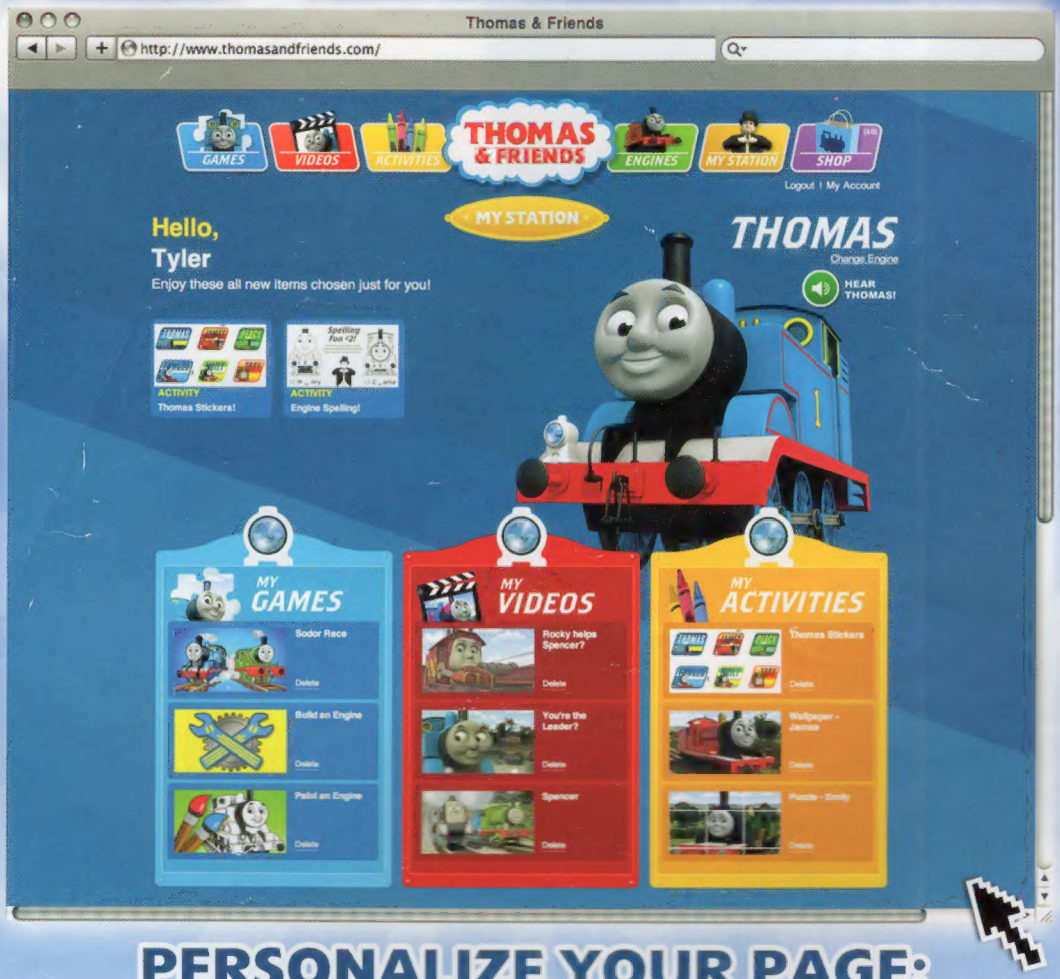

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